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Re: Serial No. 09/896,486

Filing Date:6/29/01 Invr(s) Mendis, S.K., et al

Title: An On-Chip Design-For-Testing Structure For CMOS APS (Active Pixel Sensor) Image Sensor

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS, dated 8/22/01, it was stated that the oath or declaration is missing. The declaration is hereby enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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